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some relief during crucial times this session. See, you all will have punished me by making me do that work and then bracketing this bill. And you all know I can't let somebody slap me without me slapping back. Why, what kind of weak pushover would you think I am? If I lose my reputation and my dignity, what do I have left? If I'm going to lie down on the floor and let people walk on me as though I'm a doormat, why should I expect anybody to respect me. I couldn't. I'd have to say, if Senator Janssen knocks me down, then Senator Cunningham ought to kick me. And then after he kicks me, Senator Vrtiska ought to wipe his feet on me. I don't see Senator Baker, so I'm not going to bring him into it. We have to look at these things in the context of a political setting. And all I'm doing...

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...is laying the situation out there. If I hadn't been put through what I was put through on this bill, maybe I would have a different attitude. But Senator Janssen said he was not going to move for cloture, and I said, we might stay on the bill the rest of the session, and that was all right with him. Why didn't they go on and throw in the towel, and why didn't you all go ahead and rescue him when you could have? You all knew this was a bad bill. So if you want to teach me something today, then bracket the bill and teach me. Then I move from the position of being the "teachee" to being the teacher. And I promise you that I will not weaken, I will not change my mind. And like Candid Camera, someday, when you least expect it, smile, if you can. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Continued debate. Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Mr. President. I would like to share a little bit of information that staff and I found out. And originally, the bill called for 14 cents. They narrowed it down to nine cents in committee. And if you saw a handout that was distributed earlier, from a Concord company, I believe, it says that they charge eight cents if it's a dial-up information exchange. And so I asked the question, if they delineated if it's a dial-up, how else can it be done? Fact is that it can be